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**Transmitted herewith for filing is the continuing patent application of:**

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**For:** APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR COVERLAY REMOVAL AND ADHESIVE APPLICATION

**Enclosed are:**

- ☒ 15 pages of specification, 2 pages of claims, and an abstract
- ☒ 4 sheet(s) of drawings
- ☒ 1 page of a Declaration
- ☒ A copy of a Declaration filed with the prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))
- ☒ Power of Attorney by Assignee
- ☒ Associate Power of Attorney
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to: Micron Technology, Inc., a Recordation Cover Sheet, and a Recordal fee of \$40.00
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ Form PTO-1449

**Continuing Application:**

- ☒ Continuation
- ☐ Divisional
- ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

**Information from Prior Application:**

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Art Unit: 1734

- ☒ This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 10/359,522, filed February 5, 2003, which is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/589,616, filed June 7, 2000, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,543,510, both of which applications are herein incorporated by reference in their entirety.

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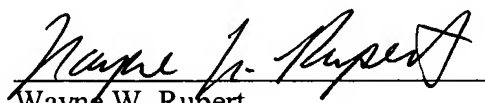
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- ☒ Assignee for this application is or will be Micron Technology, Inc., and applicant requests that this information be listed on the published application.
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